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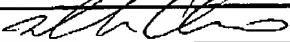
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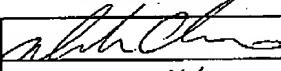
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Applicants respectfully request the following amendment to correct an obvious typographical/grammatical error in the claims of this allowed case.

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AMENDMENT

Please rewrite the renumbered claims to read as follows:

1. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A monoclonal antibody that specifically binds to a peptide having an amino acid sequence of residues 12 to 20 of SEQ ID NO:2.

2. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The monoclonal antibody as claimed in Claim 1 which is a mouse IgG.

3. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A method of detecting 19P2 ligand in a test fluid which comprises using the monoclonal antibody of Claim 1 in an assay, said assay comprising:

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